

## SUICIDE OF LEON AYERS A MYSTERY IN HIS DEATH

His Dead Body Found In His Room In the Y. M. C. A. Building This Morning—Had Used Chloroform to End His Existence.

### SAYS LIFE WAS NOT WORTH EFFORT

Left An Undirected Letter In Which He Says He Died Easily and is Sorry For His Mother's and Father's Sake—Coroner's Inquest This Afternoon.

One of the saddest cases of self-destruction that ever took place in this city, happened last night in dormitory No. 12 at the Y. M. C. A. building.

Leon Ayers, a young man nineteen years of age, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Danforth Ayers, who reside east of Washington street, just beyond the end of the street car line, ended his life by the use of chloroform. He had been a member of the Y. M. C. A. over two years and had roomed in the dormitories since July 17th.

He was a member of the senior class of the Janesville high school and sang bass in the choir of the First M. E. church. He had a happy disposition and was a bright, studious young man who was a general favorite with his classmates and did not appear to have any troubles that would cause him to end his own life.

His father and older brother, Watson Ayers, are carpenters, and Leon had worked with them at this trade during his vacation. His younger brother, Ray, is also a student in the high school.

Bought the Chloroform.

Leon went into the People's drug store last evening shortly after five o'clock and asked George E. King for a bottle of chloroform. He did not appear at all excited or nervous and when Mr. King asked him what he wanted of the chloroform he said his mother wished to chloroform a cat and asked how much it would take. Mr. King told him that two ounces would be enough and filled him a bottle of that size. He also bought a cheap sponge to use in giving the chloroform to the cat and walked out. He was next seen by W. J. Hall at his grocery store between seven and eight o'clock, and seemed to be in the best of spirits. Just what time he went to his room at the Y. M. C. A. building is not known as no one about the building saw him retire.

He purchased a suit of clothes from Robinson Brothers shortly before seven o'clock.

Took Girl to the Theater. He then went and took Miss Myrtle Hayner to Fred Felton's Vaudeville company's performance at the Myers opera house, and after the show accompanied her to her home and made an engagement to take her to the show again tonight. He was very jolly and seemed to be in the best of spirits.

C. W. Guthrie, who is janitor at the building and sleeps in a room near to the one occupied by Ayers, went to bed about 10:20. He noticed the gas was burning but thought nothing of it as Ayers was a studious young man and often studied until late in the night. When he got up this morning and started down stairs he noticed that the light was still burning in the room but paid no attention to it as it was quite early and he supposed Ayers was using the light to dress by.

About eight o'clock, Mrs. Price, the matron of the building started around cleaning up the dormitories. She came to the one occupied by Ayers, and saw the gas was burning brightly and the door was locked. She thought something was wrong and called Mr. Guthrie, who looked over the transom and saw that Ayers was in bed all covered up with clothing. He pounded on the door and made every effort to awaken him, but could not. He then went and called Mr. E. A. Swanson, a railroad man that roomed in the building and they secured a wire and worked the key out of the door and unlocked it with a pass key.

They entered the room together and at once detected the odor of chloroform. They pulled the covering from off the head and face of Ayers and saw that he was dead and had chloroformed himself. Ayers was lying in his bed with his head towards the west on his right side facing the south. He had the sponge which he had saturated with chloroform against his nose and mouth and outside of that a damp cloth to keep any of the fumes from escaping. His arms were folded in an easy position across his breast and his legs slightly drawn up like he had just dropped into a peaceful sleep.

Had Been Reading "Camille"

On the table at his bedside stood a two ounce bottle with a People's Drug company label on it marked chloroform. The bottle was empty with the exception of two or three drops. There was also a number of of Alexander Dumas' "Camille" which was open where Armand is quarreling with Camille about her having visitors in her box at the theater.

There was also an envelope, sealed

but not addressed lying on the table, which was turned over to the coroner. As soon as the body was discovered Dr. E. E. Loomis was called and made an examination of the body. He stated he thought the young man had been dead for from eight to ten hours, as congestion had already set in and there was considerable hemorrhage from the nose and mouth and the body was badly congested. Chief Hogan was at once notified and Justice Jesse Earl at once issued a subpoena for a coroner's jury.

Chief Hogan summoned as the jury W. J. Hall, J. P. Sweeney, Roy Miles, J. C. Kilne, J. A. Denniston and Thomas Nolan. They went to the unfortunate young man's room and examined the body under the supervision of Dr. E. E. Loomis and looked at the condition of other things and then adjourned until 2 p. m. at Justice Jesse Earl's office.

Life Not Worth the Effort

At the coroner's inquest held this afternoon the following was found to be contained in the envelope found lying unsealed and unaddressed on the dressing table in his room: "Twas not worth the effort to live. I can die easily. I am sorry for my mother's and father's sake. 'L. E. A.'"

The Inquest Held

At the inquest held this afternoon in Justice Earl's office C. W. Guthrie, janitor of the Y. M. C. A. building, stated that he had known Ayers for a year and saw him yesterday noon. He described finding the body this morning and its condition and described what articles were in the room, including the chloroform bottle and book.

Dr. E. E. Loomis stated he found the body and the condition at the time and the causes that would lead to the condition and was of the opinion that he had been dead from eight to ten hours. Danforth Ayers, his father, was sworn and said the boy had not been himself of late and was hurt a short time ago playing football and thought the hurt had unbalanced his mind. The jury returned the following verdict:

"The said Leon Ayers came to his death on the 8th day of October, 1901, by means of a dose of chloroform administered by his own hand with suicidal intent."

NEWS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Suicide of Leon Ayers Creates Consternation Among Classmates.

The news of the terrible tragedy was taken to the high school building at about 10:15 o'clock and as the dreadful tidings gained in circulation happy faces grew white with horror and teachers and pupils seemed almost paralyzed with grief. Within a stone's throw of the building in which the young man lay cold in death his classmates and even his younger brother were pursuing their studies in the usual light-hearted way, all unconscious of the sorrow so soon to enter their lives.

Ray Ayers was in recitation at the time the news was received. At first the teachers could not believe that it was true. Records were looked up and it was found that Leon Ayers was absent. Then a message was sent to the Y. M. C. A. building and when the teachers became convinced of the truth of the report, the young brother was sent for and Miss Harriette Holt told him as gently as possible that his brother was dead. He asked how it happened but she told him to wait until he got home. Supt. H. C. Buell and Miss Holt accompanied the boy to the Y. M. C. A. building where a few inquiries were made about his brother and then Master Ray went home to his bereaved parents.

Ray Ayers, who is seventeen years old, simply idolized his brother. He was with him yesterday afternoon after school and says he acted about the same as usual and seemed perfectly well and happy. He seemed stunned by the news but bore up bravely, being naturally of a reserved and manly character.

On her return to the High school building Miss Holt questioned Miss Myrtle Hayner, who accompanied Leon to the vaudeville show at the Myers Grand and had accepted an invitation to go again this evening. Miss Hayner said he was unusually jolly and it seemed to her that it was unnatural for he laughed so heartily at things which did not impress her at all. With this exception he seemed as usual and was excellent company. It was the first

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## GOLDEN JUBILEE OF BADGER SYNOD

WISCONSIN PRESBYTERIANS IN SESSION AT HUDSON.

This Meeting Marks the Completion of the Fiftieth Year of the Synod's Organization in This State—Has 144 Ministers and 16,000 Members on Its Rolls.

Hudson, Wis., Oct. 8.—Over 37,000 residents of Wisconsin, divided among nearly 175 Presbyterian church organizations and as many Sunday schools, will have more than a passing interest in the annual meeting of the Presbyterian synod of Wisconsin, which began at the First Presbyterian church in this city today. The meeting marks the completion of the fiftieth calendar year of the synod's organization in this state.

When the moderator, the Rev. Samuel Brown, called it to order, representatives of 174 organized churches and as many mission stations located at various cities, towns and hamlets all over the state, were present. In this synod there are 144 ministers, 3 licentiates, 5 local evangelists and 17 candidates for the ministry. There are 16,000 regular members of churches and 21,000 members of Sunday schools enrolled. During this jubilee year, \$215,036 was raised for the jubilee year, \$215,036 was raised for the local expenses of the churches and \$30,000 for missionary and educational work. The synod will devote tomorrow afternoon and evening to the services in celebration of its fiftieth birthday. Historical addresses will begin at 4:30, the Rev. Samuel Brown of Ashland representing the Chippewa Presbytery, and the Rev. W. D. Thomas of the La Crosse Presbytery. An address on "Early Days in Wisconsin" is the subject of an address by the Rev. C. L. Thompson of New York. At the evening session historical addresses will be made by the Rev. W. F. Brown of New York, representing the Madison Presbytery; the Rev. T. S. Johnson of Beaver Dam, the Milwaukee Presbytery; the Rev. John McCoy of Appleton, the Winnebago Presbytery. A prophetic address, "A Glance Toward the Future," will be made by the Rev. A. B. Nichols.

Enlarge Janesville District

The general opinion is that Janesville district will be enlarged by additions from Fond du Lac district, this in turn will be increased by a large part of the Oshkosh district; the Appleton district, and the rest of the northern portion of the state will be known as a Green Bay district. The whole matter is decided by the presiding bishop.

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MISSIONS IN THE

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—After a brief regular session this morning both houses of the Protestant Episcopal church met in joint session to discuss missions to which the entire day will be devoted. Burglars stole five thousand dollars' worth of jewelry last night from the residence of Claus Spreckles, the sugar king.

The widow of Collis Huntington announces that the noted Huntington Nob Hill Italian villa will be given to some charity, probably a hospital. It is worth a quarter of a million dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rentschler are home from an extended visit to Germany.

FOUR MEN KILLED

IN FREIGHT WRECK

Terrible Accident on the New York Central Road This Morning—

Caused by a Collision.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Four men were killed in a freight wreck on the New York Central near Oriskany this morning. The dead are: Engineer Spencer Shannon, Fireman Argyle Smith, Fireman George Palmer, and Brakeman Wm. Weir. The wreck was caused by a collision with a light engine.

BRIGANDS EXTEND TIME A MONTH;

EFFORTS TO RESCUE ELLEN M. STONE

Methods of Procedure to Reach the Scoundrels and

Pay the Ransom Are Not Known—Turkey

Will Have to Pay for It.

London, Oct. 8.—The Bulgarian brigands, who are holding Miss Ellen Stone for ransom have extended the time for payment one month. The time limit originally set expired yesterday. The news comes from Sofia, by way of Vienna, in a dispatch to the Daily Express which says also that the United States Consul Dickinson and an envoy of the missionary society arrived there on Saturday, intending to follow up Miss Stone and to deposit a portion of the ransom. If the news of the extension is true there is no doubt but that the ransom will be raised.

As to the method of procedure in reaching the brigands to pay the ransom and secure the release of Miss Stone, there can now be only conjecture. Communication has been had between the brigands and representatives of the government of the American board, and this source of communication is undoubtedly still open. One thing has been positively decided upon. No money will pass to

any representative of the captors on any promise to deliver Miss Stone thereafter. There must and will be actual and safe delivery at the time the ransom is paid.

Miss Stone's Jailer Great Cleveland, O., Oct. 8.—If the ransom of Miss Stone is not paid I firmly believe her head will be set upon a pikepole in the nearest village," was the statement of Z. T. Sweeney of Columbus, Ind., former consul general to Turkey, today.

"I think the kidnapping of Miss Stone was done for political purposes. Her captors wish the United States to seek revenge on Turkey. True to their promise, the brigands will release Miss Stone if her ransom is paid. If it is not they will cut a finger off and send it to her friends. Then an ear, and finally her head will be put upon a pikepole in some little village of Turkey."

"I know them, know their methods of operating, and know their history."

## METHODISTS ARE IN CONFERENCE

CHANGES PROBABLE IN JANESVILLE DISTRICT LINES.

At Least One New Presiding Elder, and Probably Others—A Large Number of Ministerial Changes Are Spoken of Among the Most Prominent Churches of the State.

Ripon, Wis., Oct. 8.—The advance guard of the Wisconsin annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which begins tomorrow morning, has arrived in this city. The first arrivals are the board of examiners and the younger ministers who taking the prescribed course of studies which covers five years including the books that must be passed upon before admission on trial. About thirty of these students will gather at the Congregational church parlors this afternoon.

Presiding Elders

Interest settles about the question of presiding elders and their districts. The territory of the Wisconsin conference includes the eastern half of the state on this side of the line running north and south just east of Madison from Illinois to the southern line of Portage county; then there is a westward jog to another north and south line just east of Marshfield. This territory is divided into five districts each under the supervision of a presiding elder. These districts, the presiding elders and the number of charges they have are as follows: Appleton District—John E. Farmer, 44 charges.

Fond du Lac District—O. J. Benjamin, 31 charges.

Janesville District—W. W. Stevens, 29 charges.

Milwaukee District—J. C. Joan, 35 charges.

Oshkosh District—Andrew Porter, 30 charges.

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## LANSING WARREN IS NEAR DEATH

Publisher of the Milwaukee Sentinel is Dangerously Ill with Typhoid Fever.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 8.—Lansing Warren, publisher of the Milwaukee Sentinel, who has been ill at his residence for the last two weeks with typhoid fever, is in a critical condition. At one time yesterday it was reported that he was dying, but later reports stated that he was making a brave fight for life, and last night he rallied and was slightly better. Dr. Brooks, his physician, said that if his patient survived today there would be a chance that he might recover.

Mr. Warren was taken sick three weeks ago while in New York attending the meeting of the Associated Press, but kept up until he finished his business in the east. On arriving home he collapsed. In spite of the untiring exertions of physicians and nurses he continued to grow worse, the disease having obtained a firm foothold and all efforts to control it were unavailing.

Mr. Warren had lived in Milwaukee but a short time. He came to Milwaukee from Chicago early last spring to take charge of the Sentinel after it had been purchased by Chas. F. Pfister. Previous to coming to Milwaukee Mr. Warren was connected with the Chicago Inter-Ocean for many years. For some time Mr. Warren was in the newspaper business in Denver, Colo. He is a man who has worked up in his business from the bottom to the top. Of a genial, pleasant nature, he has made many friends since he has been in Milwaukee. Until quite recently until his family came here from Waukegan, Ill., Mr. Warren lived at the Pfister. A short time ago he took up his residence on the upper east side. Mr. Warren is a Princeton college graduate.

SMALL POX IN AN

INDIAN SCHOOL

Seventy-One Cases Said to Have Been

Found in Odanah Reservation

on Bad River.

Ashland, Wis., Oct. 8.—The discovery was made today that seventy-one cases of small pox exist at the Odanah government school on the Bad River reservation. The district schools have been closed and the reservation will doubtless be quarantined.

PRESIDENT ADAMS

MAY RESIGN SOON

Report at Madison That the Head of

the University of Wisconsin Is

to Retire Friday.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 8.—A Madison dispatch says that the board of regents of the university, at their meeting on Friday will probably receive the resignation of President Adams. The fact that Dr. Adams had quite a severe attack of illness a few days ago and that Mrs. Adams has been advised to seek a warmer climate for the winter months, are understood to have had much to do with Dr. Adams' expected action.

Dr. Adams has been at the head of the University of Wisconsin for the past eight years, during which time it has made amazing strides as an educational institution, much of which was due to its abilities as an organizer.

The mere rumor that President Adams will resign has started up a host of other rumors as to his successor. Other friends of Professor Birge, who has been acting president during the absence of President Adams the past year abroad, will endeavor to secure his promotion. An effort will also be made to secure the selection of former Senator William F. Vilas.

Rockefeller-Aldrich Wedding

Providence, R. I., Oct. 8.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and other members of the Rockefeller family will arrive this afternoon from New York for the wedding tomorrow of the chief heir to the Rockefeller millions and Abbie Aldrich. Fifteen private detectives and a regularly appointed press agent will accompany the party.

Two Negroes Hanged

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 8.—Charles Perry and Henry Iver, two negroes, were hanged here this morning for complicity in the murder of Prof. Roy Whit of the university of Pennsylvania a year ago. Ames Sterling another negro is awaiting the sentence of death for complicity in the crime. The motive of the murder was robbery.

CHICAGO FACTORY

CONSUMED BY FIRE

Chicago, Oct. 8.—The plant of the X-Mahon Biscuit and Cracker Co., and the stables of the Hoffman Brewing Co. were destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is over \$200,000. Three frame cottages were crushed under the falling walls of the factory.

Middlesboro, Ky., October 8.—Gen. Kitchener reports the Boer casualties during the week ended yesterday as fifty killed, twenty-six wounded, 244 captured and sixty surrendered.

St. Albans, Vt., Oct. 8.—Bishop Alex. Burgess of the Quincy, Ill., diocese died here this morning.

## AFGHAN AMEER DIES AT CABUL

Great Monarch of a Far

Eastern Country Has

Passed Away.

FEAR IN ENGLAND

Dead Prince Has Been a

Strong Ally of Great Brit-

ain Against Russia.

RULED BUFFER STATE

London, Oct. 8.—The Ameer of Afghanistan, Abdur Rahman Khan, died on Thursday after a brief illness, and as far as can be learned his eldest son, Habib Oullah Khan, has taken the reins of government. The news was officially given to the British agent at Cabul, but little is known of the actual state of affairs in Afghanistan. The announcement of the death of the Ameer came with a shock and the further revelation that Habib had made full use of his position has caused no little uneasiness. It is known that Habib is not friendly to the British interests, but is a Russian ally at heart, and undoubtedly some efforts will be made to place Nasrullah on the throne, as he is in sympathy with the rule of England, but the plans

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which had been made for this step had not yet matured. The knowledge of the Afghanistan frontier is the weakest spot in the border line of India, has been a nightmare to every statesman who has had to do with the foreign policy of Great Britain, and the history of that border country is a record of Machiavellian cabals and intrigues in which both the powers have figured. No matter which of the sons may succeed to the throne the news of the death of the Ameer is a dire portent to the foreign office, overbushy with the Boer complication. As long as the old Ameer was alive there was little fear for the frontier, as the oriental ruler was too wily a diplomat to give either side an advantage. Future events will be watched with much anxiety.

Express Confidence in Viceroy.

At the foreign office no confirmation has been received of the report of the death of the Ameer of Afghanistan, but the accuracy of the report is not doubted. Great confidence, however, is there expressed in the ability of the Indian viceroy to deal with the situation. Before Lord Curzon attained his present dignities he had traveled through Afghanistan as the guest of the Ameer and had thoroughly mastered the problem of British policy in central Asia.

Steps Transfer of Troops.

It is candidly admitted that the death of the Ameer comes at a most inopportune moment for England. Another brigade was about to be withdrawn from India for service in south Africa. It is clear that the British government cannot at this juncture afford to diminish its Indian forces. Every newspaper speaks of the death of Abdur Rahman as a serious loss to England. He was a firm and faithful ally of this country, and a bulwark of inestimable value to the Indian empire. He kept peace among the wild Afghan tribes, and although the new Ameer is believed to be a man of energy and ability it is doubtful if his name carries weight among his turbulent subjects.

PERSIA ON VERGE

OF A REVOLUTION

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# The News From County Towns.

## MILTON.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY,  
W. W. CLARKE, Manager.

Milton, Oct. 7.—Invitations are out for the marriage of Asa L. Maxon of Walworth, to Miss Mae Summerbell on Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Summerbell, and for the marriage of P. B. Hurley to Miss Polly Rice on the 15th inst., at the home of the bride's parents in this village.

Charley Yates was in town Friday, but he didn't tell us anything about this: "For downright cheek, commend us to Charley Yates, a Janesville traveling man. Arriving at Toga, the other morning, he desired to change over to the Milwaukee train. It is some distance to walk, and seeing a locomotive standing close by on the side track he jumped on and ordered the engineer to take him over to the train in quick time. The engineer, supposing him to be a road official, obeyed with alacrity and in the politest manner conveyed him to the waiting train, which Charley boarded, waving his profoundest thanks to the engine men. Since the facts became known, is said the engineer orders his stoker to kick him over the wards three times every morning before he will pull a throttle.—Delavan Enterprise."

Rev. W. B. Miller of New York and Rev. Perry Miller of Milwaukee, spent Saturday with their father, Rev. W. T. Miller.

Chauncey Clarke, of Harvard, Ill., was in town Saturday.

Miss M. M. Oakley of the State Historical Library, Madison, and Mrs. A. S. Blount of Chicago, were entertained by Mrs. W. W. Clarke, Sunday. William Home of Milwaukee spent Sunday at the old homestead.

Attorney Wm. Smith of Janesville was a Milton visitor Sunday.

Ed. Green came back from his Minnesota trip Friday.

T. I. Place has improved the interior of his store.

M. Shuman of New York state, is visiting his brother, A. Shuman.

Miss Sarah Hunt of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived in town Friday to visit relatives.

Robert Addie of Cresco, Iowa, is visiting his brother, George Addie, and other Milton relatives.

W. H. Davidson lost a valuable cow Thursday.

Albert G. Holmes and wife of Green Bay were recent guests of R. W. Brown and daughter.

Miss Nellie Maxson of Lebanon, Oregon, is visiting Milton relatives and friends.

John Rotchford and wife of Milwaukee spent Sunday here.

Mrs. O. U. Whitford left for her home at Westerly, R. I., Monday.

## EVANSVILLE.

Evansville, Oct. 7.—Mr. John Lemmel is slowly recovering from appendicitis. His cousin, Miss Eva Lemmel of Chicago, and his brother, Mr. Jacob Lemmel, of Des Moines, Iowa, have been assisting in nursing him through his serious illness.

Ald and Mrs. D. H. Glidden have returned from a visit to their son, near Brookfield, Wis.

The banquet given at the Central house by the Young Men's club of the Congregational church was well attended and was pronounced a success in every way. Rev. Denison of Janesville, Rev. Short, Mr. C. B. Green, Mr. Henry Schneider, Mr. John Baker each gave a short talk for the instruction and pleasure of all present.

Miss Powles and Mr. Hartley sang beautiful solos and Miss Green rendered a fine piano solo. Mr. T. E. Walters is president of the club.

Miss Lulu Champion is the new matron at the seminary this year.

Zoe Cory was elected president and Lee Munns, secretary, of the Phoenix Literary society at its first meeting held Sept. 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Noyes are rejoicing over the birth of a son, on Sept. 28, 1901.

On Sept. 30, 1901, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson.

Miss Eva Ingalls left Wednesday noon to visit her sister, Mrs. Hellen, in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bostwick and son, Ritchie, returned Wednesday from a visit in the northern part of Wisconsin.

Beautiful and appropriate services were held on Sunday morning in the M. E. church in honor of the elderly members of the church and congregation. Rev. Miller spoke on "Fruitage in Mature Life." The Epworth League had charge of the entire service.

The decorations were of autumn fruits and flowers. Rev. Sewell led the singing in old fashioned style. Miss Chapel sang a solo befitting the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder and son of Brooklyn, Wis., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield.

W. R. Phillips and family drove over to Edgerton and spent Sunday, returning in the evening.

Mrs. Frank Hubbard and Mrs. B. W. Snow have been entertaining Mrs. I. A. Jenkins and daughter, Bertha, the past week.

Rev. Short, Mrs. Beth Colton, Mrs. Fred Colby and Miss Cleland attended the Congregational state convention at Milwaukee.

Mr. Verno Winston has resumed his work in the college of Physicians and Surgeons at Chicago.

Miss Alice Richardson has gone to Madison to study music at the University of Wisconsin.

Mr. Leon Patterson has returned to Chicago to continue his studies in a dental college.

Miss Gussie Ziegler of Chicago visited friends in the city on Friday.

George Blunt, contortionist, who performed wonderful feats at the Rock County fair in Evansville, has gone to Beaver Dam to fulfill a similar engagement.

Everyone speaks highly of the C. W. Best Concert company, which gave an entertainment on Thursday evening here. There is some talk of the company giving a like entertainment in Evansville later in the season.

## RICHMOND.

Richmond, Wis., Oct. 7.—Rev. Johnson entertained a brother from Capron, Ill., a few days last week. Before departing he left \$11 in money and other gifts as a supplement.

The agent for Dr. Blair's remedies was canvassing this town Thursday.

One of our popular young ladies will soon enter the state of dubious blessedness.

W. J. Gage of Whitewater Sunday-ed with relatives here.

Mrs. Don Worthington and baby of Genoa Junction are visiting her father, Benjamin Clark.

The following persons have been elected to fill the offices of the Richmond M. E. Sunday school for the coming year: W. H. Calkins, Supt.; C. S. Harris, Asst. Supt.; Jesse Harris, Treas. and Sec.; Edith Calkins, organist; Mrs. A. F. Hulse, chorister.

On September 29 Henry Goodger and Bessie and Ralph Harris were received into full connection at the Methodist church. The same persons were also baptized by immersion on the day preceding in Turtle Lake.

Unusually large congregations favored the Rev. Isaac Johnson at the preaching services at Uppers' Corners and Richmond on last Sunday.

During the two years he has served the above congregations the work has prospered on all lines. For the past year the Stewards of the churches paid him \$55 in salary above his claims.

Mr. James Knillans shipped a carload of hogs to Chicago Monday and while loading them injured his leg quite badly.

On Friday evening Mrs. T. Cavaney attended a farewell reception given her sister, Mrs. James Cummings of Allen Grove by the Sunshine club. Dainty refreshments were served and the club of which she is a member presented her with a beautiful rocking chair.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stockdale of Whitewater spent Sunday with relatives.

Wm. Mack of Milton is painting Mr. Crumb's new barn.

A large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties assembled at the home of Wm. Matthews Thursday to attend the wedding of their daughter, Lizzie and August Scharine.

Mr. and Mrs. Scharine will soon go to housekeeping on James Haight's farm in Johnston.

On Wednesday evening Oct. 2 about 138 people assembled at the parsonage to assist Rev. and Mrs. Johnson in celebrating their thirteenth wedding anniversary. An enjoyable evening was spent and very tempting refreshments were served. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were the recipients of two beautiful rocking chairs and a picture from the Richmond people, and table linens from Uppers' Corners besides a surplus of about \$25.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have been with us for two years, during which time we have found them to be excellent neighbors, kind and willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. We regret much their removal and we hope Mr. Johnson will acquire as many friends in his new field of labor as he leaves behind him in Richmond.

## ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, Oct. 7.—Mrs. Andrew Davis left last Tuesday for a visit with friends in Kansas. Her daughter, Mrs. Stone, of Fort Atkinson, will remain at her home during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green are spending the week with relatives at Columbus, Wis.

Prof. Healy of the Milton Junction high school visited the Rock River school one day last week.

N. M. Rose, spent Friday and Saturday in Whitewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green visited relatives in Albion Saturday.

Vade Looftoro and family are preparing to leave for their new home in Welton, Iowa.

Mrs. Mercy Garthwait celebrated her ninety-fourth birthday last Thursday. A large number of relatives and friends called on her that day.

The social at E. D. Vincent's on Thursday evening was well attended a large number being present from Milton and Milton Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Garthwait were callers at John Ashley's Saturday.

Mrs. John Ashley visited White-water friends the first of the week.

Nearly forty friends and neighbors attended a surprise party held Saturday evening for the Crandall family before they should leave for their new home in Johnston. A pleasant evening was spent and at a late hour all departed wishing them success in their new home.

## CLINTON.

Clinton, Oct. 7.—Thursday, Oct. 2d, the Alexis Tallam Post, accompanied by quite a number of citizens, repaired to the high school campus, where they assisted in raising a new flag.

The exercises consisted of the singing of "America," an address by Comrade W. A. Mayhew on behalf of the brave boys of '61, closing his eloquent address with a high tribute to McKinley. Mr. Glenn Adams, a member of the senior class, also made a very able address in which it was made evident that this generation is true and loyal to the flag, which means liberty and union to all true Americans. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duthie of Janesville spent a day or two with their daughter, Mrs. John Cooper, last week.

Rev. E. S. McChesney is attending the annual conference at Ripon this week.

Mr. William Stewart has suffered another stroke of paralysis, which renders him helpless.

Mr. A. E. McKinney and family are soon to become residents of our village.

There is to be a branch lumber office at Avalon, of which Mr. Hudson is to have charge.

Rev. T. J. Parsons drove to Manchester last Sunday and conducted the preaching service. He reports a flourishing Sunday school there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barrus are now occupying rooms over the new livery barn on Main street.

The rummage sale last Friday and Saturday added a snug little sum to the treasury of the M. E. church.

Miss Ableman of the kindergarten department, spent Sunday with her brother in Harvard.

We have a new physician, Dr. Thomas, who has come among us permanently, occupying the house vacated by Rev. Roehers, who is now occupying the new parsonage.

## KOSHKONONG.

Koshkonong, Oct. 7.—Mrs. Peter McFarlan and son, George, of Johnston, spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stewart.

Hiram Ames has returned to Otter Creek, having spent the summer in Iowa.

Mrs. D. M. Barlaas and daughter, Margaret, of Janesville, spent one day last week at T. F. Johnson's.

Mrs. S. Ward and family will remain on the Wm. Cleland farm the coming year.

Miss Nellie Marlett is attending school in Whitewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyons visited friends in Jefferson last week and attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Silverthorn and daughter of Footville, visited at M. B. Downing's last week.

Eddie Lalk and Herbert Robinson are attending school at Milton Junction.

Mrs. M. B. Downing is still confined to the house her knee causing her considerable pain.

Mrs. John Hurd entertained the ladies of the mite society Wednesday afternoon in a very hospitable manner. About thirty were present. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. P. Marquart, Oct. 16.

Albert Burrows has charge of this section of the railroad in place of his father, who was seriously injured last week at Milton Junction.

Mrs. Archie Cullen boarded the bridge, builders while here.

A new chimney is being built on the Otter Creek church and it is expected that sheds will be built for horses before snow flies.

There was a good attendance at the box social held at the home of Joseph Krause Thursday evening. The evening was enjoyed by all.

The memorial address given by Rev. C. M. Starkweather Sunday afternoon was very interesting and was listened to by a good sized audience. The church was decorated with bunting of the national colors, also with drapes of black and white. The floral decorations were white asters.

## LEYDEN.

Leyden, Wis., Oct. 8.—A cold south west wind has been blowing during the past two days and a cold north westerly wind, the two days previous.

Ice was found on water to thickness of one-fourth of an inch the last three nights.

It seems a relief to have frosty air again after the hottest and driest summer ever known.

There has been no rain for a considerable length of time and the ground is very dry again and the roads are dusty. A few late pieces of tobacco were destroyed by frost that had not been harvested on account of being late.

Potatoes are yielding better than was expected though many farmers have none.

## AFTON.

Afton, Oct. 7.—Work was begun on the erection of the new steel bridge across Bass Creek at this place this morning. The structure is being built by the American Bridge and Iron Co., of New York.

The Modern Woodmen are planning for a lecture course here at Afton the coming winter. At the last meeting a special committee was named to look after the details and

report at the meeting next Saturday evening.

Henry N. Antidel and bride of Fostoria, Iowa, are visiting relatives in Afton and vicinity. The couple are on their wedding tour, having been married at Fostoria, Sept. 10th. They have visited Buffalo and points in Pennsylvania and are now enroute home. Mr. Antidel is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Antidel formerly of this place.

Leonard J. McCrea, who has been seriously ill, is improving at this writing. He is planning to move from his farm to Afton and will occupy the Powers house, recently vacated by David Thorne.

A. D. Kendall, night operator at the C. & N. W. station here, has gone to Belvidere, where he has been offered a position as night operator at the North Yard station.

Mrs. A. G. Henry is visiting relatives in Newark.

G. C. Antidel is building a commodious two story addition to his house.

## ELEVATED HEIGHTS.

Elevated Heights, Oct. 8.—Miss Florence Johnson returned to her home at Helena, Mont., accompanied by her cousin, Miss Anna Earle.

Mrs. Loche Pierce is reported on the sick list.

Miss Minnie Hagen of Hanoverville visited relatives here last week.

Clarence Jepson celebrated his eleventh birthday on Saturday last by inviting twenty of his young friends who were highly pleased with the fine entertainment.

Leyden Lightweights were defeated on Sunday by Porter Wonders, 2 to 7 being the score.

Mr. Joe Church III of Janesville was a pleasant caller here on Sunday last.

Mr. Will Wright purchased a fine new top buggy and drives a spirited black horse.

Congratulations are in order for the wedding of Mr. Hants Howson and Miss Bertha Larson.

Mr. Gihlin of Evansville is reported as suffering from a fall received some time ago.

Miss Maggie Kennedy is engaged to teach for the winter in the White Star school.

Mr. W. Tolles entertained eighty couples in Porter hall on last Friday evening.

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## LIMA.

Lima, Oct. 7.—Frank Walker, Will Herrington, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McComb, and Fred Woodstock and wife are taking in the sights at the Pan-American and Niagara this week. John Dixon is visiting his son in Iowa.

Oro Gould spent Thursday to Saturday in Milwaukee.

David Kyle and wife spent the week with Chicago relatives.

The 1:25 passenger of Thursday helped E. H. Blish of Whitewater over the crossing at the white school house in a way that was not very enjoyable to him. He was brought to the station on the train and Dr. Stetson made him as comfortable as possible and he returned to Whitewater on the evening train.

Burt Collins and belongings, arrived Tuesday from Clinton. He will move onto the Andrew Dion farm in December.

Richard Dixon had a barn raising Thursday.

Mrs. R. Howard and Miss Minta Howard spent Friday at Mr. McComb's.

A great deal of grain was shipped from this station last week.

Mrs. Amos Gould of Whitewater visited her daughter, Mrs. Nora Elphick on Saturday last.

Beulah and Donald McComb are spending the week with their grandmother at Six Corners.

Carrie Johnson was in Janesville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Scharine attended the wedding of his brother, in Richmond last Thursday.

Theodore W. Goldin is in Milwaukee on business.

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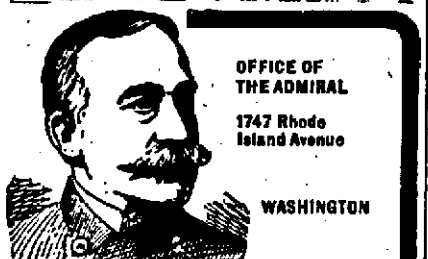
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## AMUSEMENT NOTES.

A unique vaudeville entertainment was given at the Myers Grand last evening by Fred Felton's Vaudeville company which opened a three nights' engagement including a matinee performance for tomorrow afternoon. A good sized audience was present and enjoyed the show thoroughly. The company gives a continuous performance composed almost entirely of funny sketches and promises a complete change of program for every performance.

The most artistic thing in last evening's program was the singing of the illustrated songs by W. E. Munger. He has a clear, sweet voice, especially adapted for the singing of ballads. Last evening, he sang "Stay in Your Own Back Yard," with "Hello Central Give Me Heaven," as an encore. The audience requested another song, but Mr. Munger declined to respond. The pictures, illustrating the songs were beautiful and the machine by which they are shown is a very fine one. The biograph moving pictures telling the story of "The Trip to the Moon" were very amusing and something entirely new.

Leroy Millard was the favorite of the evening and in his original sketch as the country boy kept the audience convulsed with laughter. His musical numbers with Katherine Millard were enjoyable and a little black dog who knew his business thoroughly, added a share to the pleasure of the audience.

James McKey introduced some clever character impersonations and he and Pert Crox gave a travesty on the modern drama which the audience enjoyed. Ernest Frank and Clyde Bates, knock-about comedians gave a laughable act and a character sketch "Government Bonds" was very naturally given by Fred and Amy Gottlob. The great Johnson, female baritone, wore a stunning gown, but the singing was ordinary.

The company will appear at the Myers Grand tonight, tomorrow night and tomorrow afternoon. Tonight's program will include a French farce, "The Secret," a three scene farce comedy "Champagne and Oysters," an electrical fire dance, illustrated songs and vaudeville features. The company deserves liberal patronage.

The admirers of Otis Skinner, and they are legion in this city, will be gratified to learn that this deservedly popular star has scored a veritable triumph as Lancelotti in his recent revival of Boker's tragedy "Francesca da Rimini." Mr. Skinner's efforts have always been of a character that have appealed to the intelligent class of our theatre goers and lovers of high class dramatic work.

"Rip Van Winkle" is coming to the Myers Grand, Thursday evening, Oct. 10, at which time the lovable old vagabond will be interpreted by Thomas Jefferson, upon whom has fallen the mantle of America's best beloved actor, Joseph Jefferson.

Among the season's novelties none have been accorded a heartier reception than that which invariably greets the performance of Grau Opera Co. This organization has met with extraordinary success everywhere, crowded houses and extremely enthusiastic audiences have been the rule all along the line since the beginning of the tour. Grau Opera Company will present "El Capitán" at the Myers Grand, Monday, Oct. 14.

**Milk Combine is Busted**  
The farmers' milk combine did not materialize. A meeting was held last night by the farmers who sell their milk to the dealers and no understanding could be arrived at. Agent A. N. Gleason of the Northwestern had one of their milk agents at the meeting. He presented a plan to ship milk to Chicago, but no agreement was reached. Some of the farmers claim that they will hold out for a three-cent price from the dealers while others are satisfied with the present prices and will continue to deliver at the old rate. Shipping milk to Chicago has numerous drawbacks as well as good points and it is probable that the surplus to the numerous creameries.

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## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire.

Sept. 25, 1901.

Flour—Retail at 90c @ \$1.10 per sack.

Wheat—Spring 60c; winter 63c.

Rye—25c per bushel.

Barley—25c per bushel.

Corn—25c per bushel.

Oats—Common to best, white, 25c @ 34c.

Clover Seed—\$10 @ \$11.00.

Timothy Seed—\$1.50 @ \$1.60.

Feeder—New 10 @ \$1.20.

Beans—\$1.00 per ton, 90c per cwt.

Middling—5c per 100 lbs. \$18.00 per ton.

Meal—\$1.10 @ \$1.20 per ton.

Hay—Clover, 20 @ \$10; timothy, 12.00 to 14.00.

Wild, 8 @ \$10.

Straw—5 @ \$10 for cut and rye.

Hay—New 10 @ \$1.20.

Beans—\$1.00 per ton, 90c per cwt.

Butter—Best dairy, 17c @ 20c.

Eggs—15c @ 16c per dozen.

Poultry—Spring chickens 12c @ 15c.

Wool—Washed, 10c @ 12c; unwashed, 15c @ 16c.

Hides—5c @ 6c.

Prices—Quotable at 25c @ 30c.

Cheese—\$1.00 @ \$1.20.

Hogs—\$1.00 @ \$1.20.

Sheep—25c @ 30c.

Swine—25c @ 30c.

East Center.

East Center, Oct. 7.—The Ladies' Afternoon club met with Mrs. E. H. Brown last Thursday and a secretary was elected. General topics of the day were discussed and work planned for the next meeting which will be held at Miss Hattie Liscomb's.

Mrs. Walker Little and daughter spent the first part of the week with her parents.

Mrs. Charley Crall is having the interior of her house remodeled and decorated.

Miss Maud Tracy was seen on our streets one day last week.

While cutting corn last week, Frank Brown's horse became frightened and ran away. No serious damage was done before the horse was caught. The only trouble was in picking up the corn which was cut down in somewhat of a crooked way.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Miller and baby, Grant, of Milton Junction, spent Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brown.

School is progressing finely under the management of Miss Snyder.

Mrs. Ralph Bleasdale is preparing for a trip to Dakota.

Paul Savage has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Avis Brown.

NARROW ESCAPE  
FROM A BAD FIRE

The Parker Pen Company had a close call to having a disastrous fire, at an early hour this morning, in their block on South Main street. Fortunately, owing to the coolheadedness of Arthur Kohler, the foreman of the night force, the disaster was averted.

About 4 o'clock this morning Carl Palmer, one of the workmen, went into a room in the back of the building to get some muriatic acid, which is used in the manufacture of fountain pens. He carried an acid holder and a lamp, and placed the lamp on the floor near where he was to obtain the acid. In some way in pouring out the acid some of it spattered and was ignited by the flame of the lamp and set fire to the acid already poured out. It blazed up, making a very hot fire, and looked as if it would be a very serious affair.

Foreman Kohler saw at once that it was likely to be a bad fire and closed all the windows, to shut off the draft, removed everything liable to damage out of the way, and then tried to smother the flames with old clothes. In the meantime a messenger had been sent to the East Side engine house, and an alarm was turned in from box 23. The department was soon on the scene, and the flames extinguished with the chemical extinguishers from the patrol wagon.

The fire did very little damage, the most being by the chemicals from the extinguishers and the water from the Pen Company's private hose, running down through the floor onto the machinery below.

Mr. Parker this morning ordered electric lights placed in the part of the building where the fire occurred, so there will be no danger of a repetition in the future.

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Great Lumber Yard Burn.  
Arkansas City, Ark., Oct. 8.—Fire in the afternoon destroyed the Paspeke-Leicht Lumber Company's immense yard, containing 4,000,000 feet of seasoned cottonwood lumber and six cars belonging to the Missouri Pacific Railway company. The loss is estimated at \$500,000, partly insured.

Boy Dies with Hydrophobia.  
Chicago, Oct. 8.—John Hall, 4 years old, who was bitten by a mad dog in front of the Brown school at Wood street and Warren avenue, Sept. 19, died of hydrophobia at the residence of his adopted mother, Mrs. Emma Puckett, 591 Fulton street.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Showers tonight, probably cooler Tuesday.

INTELLIGENT CO-OPERATION.

The Illinois Manufacturers' association, representing some 600 factories of various kinds, will soon hold a convention in Chicago for the purpose of endorsing the late President McKinley's policy on reciprocity. The manufacturers realize, more keenly than any other class, the importance of the world's markets, and while they do not favor free trade, or tariff reform from a democratic standpoint, they do favor friendly trade relations that will prevent the experience of a year ago, when Russia retaliated in a way that lost millions of dollars' worth of trade that properly belonged to Americans. It is no time to take down the fence that protects American labor and industries, but it is time to oil up the hinges of some of the gateways. This nation is too progressive to be hidebound. While we produce cereals in great abundance, and are prepared to feed all comers, our industries have also forged to the front, under the stimulus of wise protective laws, and the age of infancy is rapidly giving way to the era of sturdy manhood.

The product of industry, representing well paid labor, inspired by inventive genius, and intelligent brain, is compelled to seek a liberal market beyond the seas. The best way to reach this market and maintain American supremacy, without injury to labor or capital, was the thought that President McKinley had in mind in Buffalo. Just what plan his message would have recommended, had he been permitted to write it, may never be known. But it is safe to say that President Roosevelt and his advisors will formulate some plan that will be safe for the nation to adopt, and that will result in solving one of the great commercial questions of the hour.

MISS STONE'S RANSOM.

Miss Helen M. Stone, the American missionary, who is now held in Bulgaria by bandits for a ransom of \$150,000, is in a precarious condition, but it is fortunate for her that she is a citizen of a country that will not tolerate that class of lawlessness. The money is being raised by private subscription and any shortage will doubtless be made good by the society that sent her. It has been suggested that the missionary society should advance all of the money, and then ask the United States government to demand reimbursement of Turkey. The suggestion is a good one. While there may be some question as to the advisability of sending women into that Mohammedan country, with a view of converting the Turk to Christian faith, there is no question about the right of protection to American travelers, and Turkey should be given to understand that this nation will not tolerate the sort of brigandage to which Miss Stone is subjected.

There is nothing but Christian civilization and progress that will ever redeem Turkey. So far as her religion is concerned she is honest and very devout, in fact not only ready to fight for it, but her subjects consider it a great honor to die in defense of their long established faith.

These conditions may not seem right, but they are cold, stubborn facts, and they will never be materially changed until war or some other great civilizer causes the dynasty to crumble and fall of its own weight of ignorance.

The ransom will be paid for Miss Stone, and she will regain her liberty, and doubtless go on with her work, but there are still many good people in America, who will question the judgment of sending her out on so perilous a mission, where results at the best can have but little influence on the Mohammedan faith.

MUCH NEEDED REFORM.

The patriotic women of the country have taken hold of the question of Mormonism, and by intelligent and vigorous effort, propose to place before the next congress a plea for a constitutional amendment, that will be so strongly endorsed, as to not only command attention, but produce results.

This organization, with headquarters in New York, is known as "The Interdenominational Council of Women for Christian and Patriotic Service." Its officers represent every Protestant denomination in the city, and its sole and only purpose is to influence national legislation to act vigorously and effectively against the foul stain of Mormonism, a blight that rests upon the nation, and is

more threatening today than at any time in its history.

State legislation has been found inadequate, in fact, it has proved an incentive to the evil, and the women have discovered that a constitutional amendment, requiring a three-fourths vote of all the states in the union, is the only effective remedy. They maintain that several of the states of the west are already badly tainted with polygamy and that the offspring of this vice will soon be beyond the reach of national reform. Two thousand Mormon emissaries are now sowing the seed of corruption in all parts of the land and converts are being made in many of the states.

This movement on the part of these patriotic women is intensely practical, and entitled to every encouragement. They realize, as does every true woman, that virtue is the keystone of the sanctity of the home, and that when this rare gem is lost, either through wilful sin, or as the result of fanatical teachings, that the home is destroyed, and the nation weakened.

Every woman in the land is invited to join in this movement, and every community can afford to take an active interest. The plan of work is fully outlined by the officers and information will be cheerfully furnished. Mrs. Darwin R. James, the president. The offices are located at 156 Fifth avenue, New York. The Gazette bespeaks for these earnest women, abundant success.

THE SOUTHERN PROBLEM.

The manner in which President Roosevelt is taking hold of the Southern problem, indicates that he has an intelligent grasp of the situation. It has long been apparent that the question of harmonizing two races, the grave question that the country inherited as the result of civil strife, must be settled, if solved at all, by Southern people on Southern soil. The north may theorize and suggest, but the south must plan and execute. The negro belongs to the south, and climatic conditions compel him to stay where he belongs. He possesses the rights of American citizenship, but is so badly handicapped through ignorance and environment, that these rights are frequently ignored. He is surrounded by a complex constituency, that from a spirit of bitter disappointment and hatred, is slowly but surely being transformed. The experiences that have come to the nation, both from within and without, have done more to unite the north and the south, than anything that has occurred since the civil war. When the nation was menaced by a foreign foe, the government found no more loyal supporters than came from the south, and when fanaticism, led by Mr. Bryan, threatened to engulf the country, a liberal contingency broke away from party traditions and life long associations, and showed the same spirit of patriotic loyalty.

The constituency known as the gold democracy of the south, reinforced by the intelligent colored man, under the direction of such leaders and advisors as Booker T. Washington, will in time bring harmony out of discord. A brighter day is in sight for the south.

President Roosevelt recognizes these conditions, and in consultation with Mr. Washington recently, he said that intelligence and fitness for public office, will govern in making appointments. The president also realizes that the conservative democratic element in the south is entitled to recognition, and an effort will be made to have the two elements work in harmony. If this can be accomplished, the southern problem is in a fair way to settle itself, and the country has occasion to rejoice.

The books of the Standard Oil Company show that the revenue tax of five cents per barrel, produced a revenue of \$23,000 in Chicago during the past nineteen months. Robert E. Burke, the oil inspector, failed to account for the money, and has been indicted by the grand jury. Burke seems to have struck oil without going to Texas.

An unmarried woman never ceases to be a girl, in New England. A young clergyman in that section was advised to call on the "Talcott girls," and was surprised to find them with snow white hair, and close to the three score and ten mark, in point of experience.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago is in receipt of an order for a husband, from a maiden in Albany, who says she is past thirty, good looking, and willing to work. She wants the man shipped to Albany and proposes to pay for transportation, as well as paying the mayor a commission.

D. R. Britta, of Richland Center, is nothing if not ambitious. He proposes to catch the next cyclone that comes along, and utilize it as a motive power. All he wants is \$400 to build a harness.

Contentment is a priceless jewel. You can't dig it out of the mines, or buy it with Klondike gold, but you may discover it close to home, if you just "watch out."

Admiral Schley retires from the navy, but he is still on the bridge,

with no Santiago in sight, nor anything else worth fighting for.

The state of Michigan carries off the medal on divorces, 2,400 were granted last year. Dakota don't appear to be in it.

Every man may not be rich, but every man, and a large majority of women, may be happy.

PRESS COMMENT.

La Crosse Republican Leader: Now that Uncle Sam has cleaned up the America's cup, he can turn his full attention to polishing the barnacles off Santiago.

Racine Journal: The new Milwaukee Republican league is in full accord with the new organization, and both will work for the highest interests of republicanism.

La Crosse Republican Leader: Sir Thomas wanted a gale and he got it. Now, if there is anything else he wants, barring the cup, why just name it.

Superior Telegram: The act of Massachusetts Democrats in paying a just tribute to McKinley and giving kindly assurance to President Roosevelt has seldom been exceeded in either wisdom or patriotism.

Baraboo Times: The emperor of Germany knows a good thing when he tastes it. Last year a consignment of Dane county tobacco was sent sent abroad and proved so popular that five carloads were ordered this year and has just been shipped.

Milwaukee Sentinel: Professor Goldwin Smith urges that music be used in reforming anarchists. He ought to select the "pieces," for there are some compositions that tempt even patient citizens to break the laws of assault and battery.

Madison Journal: Mr. Yerkes is an American in his notions. His determination to charge a uniform fare of 2 1/2 (three cents) on the London underground, instead of fares from a shilling downward, excites some protest and some ridicule from English railroad men. But he adheres.

Fond du Lac Reporter: As a public official Governor La Follette has demonstrated that he and his private secretary are capable of running the affairs of the state, so long as Jere Murphy does not get sick. The lieutenant governor is needed only on pay day.

Fond du Lac Commonwealth: It is to be hoped that reciprocity treaties may be arranged with the several countries in accordance with the provisions of the present Dingley bill; there is every reason why they should be, but enemies of the protective system will find no solace in this fact.

Evening Wisconsin: The Wisconsin man who is in Nebraska trying to convince people that he can harness a cyclone, should be permitted to try his hand on a small sized tornado, as a beginning; then, if there is anything left of him, he might gather it up for a trial of the cyclone.

Chippewa Independent: Hon. R. J. Flint, one of as nice a gentlemen as lives in this part of the state, is quoted by Eau Claire newspapers as saying that Dunn county is unanimous for Hon. John Spooner for senator. If Hon. A. R. Hall should see this he might be obliged to again enter his protest to the nomination being made unanimous.

Evening Wisconsin: Every individual, man or woman, who is securing money in exchange for labor and who doesn't know what he is "knocking" for—who doesn't knock at all, in fact—until some peregrinating stranger who makes a good living by activity of that sort comes to tell him, is probably doing better on his own hook than he would by sitting at the stranger's feet to receive instructions and taking the stranger's directions instead of his own judgment in the conduct of his own affairs.

Merrill Advocate: As for the primary system advocated by Governor La Follette and his friends, we look upon that as revolutionary and very dangerous indeed. In our opinion, that system, established by law, it would be as high impossible for the people to rid themselves of corrupt and self-seeking politicians. It is vicious in principle and un-American. It will give the newspapers and men with money too much power. It is, in our opinion, the most dangerous piece of legislation that we have heard of anywhere.

"SPOONER AND LA FOLLETTE."

A report comes from Madison that La Follette leaders are urging a coup d'etat by withdrawing opposition to Spooner. It has been found that practically all the La Follette men are for Spooner, and that to continue to fight the senator will only weaken the half-breed forces. We are inclined to doubt that any such plan is contemplated. With the indorsement of both factions Senator Spooner would be able to speak with more authority than he has now, and when he takes the stump, as he must, against the primary election scheme and class agitation, the position of the La Follette campaigners would be unbearable. Then again, whether Uncle Isaac really hopes to get into the senate or is feeding on the sweets of revenge, in either event, opposition to Spooner has foremost place in his mind. Furthermore, without Mr. Stephenson's check book, the principal La Follette papers would probably come to a sudden end, and their press is already so weak that any loss would be severely felt. Finally, there is the governor's animosity toward the senior senator, and it has

grown very strong under years of careful nursing.

We think it will not be "Spooner and La Follette." Such a combination would leave no excuse for the continued existence of La Folletteism. The governor has got to fight the senator or retire from the field.—Milwaukee Journal.

PHILOSOPHY OF THE STREET.

Too many of us get in the habit of imagining that our own little sphere is the entire world.

The man who has no responsibility, generally makes the most severe critic for those who have.

Speculating on what might have been will hardly produce a satisfactory living for the present and future.

A woman who has anything to do generally manages so that it is too much to permit of really fine work.

When two women meet without taking a mental inventory of each other's clothes, it is a sign that they are too far advanced to be happy wives and mothers.—Milwaukee Journal.

TEXAS WAS NEVER IN ANY DANGER

Important Testimony for Schley in the Inquiry Court at Washington This Morning.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 8.—Capt. Folgar, who commanded the New Orleans during the war took the stand at the opening of today's session of the Schley court to resume his testimony of yesterday. He said he had suggested to Schley that the circular blockade would be more effective in preventing any escape but Schley did not agree with him.

Commander Walnwright, who commanded the Gloucester at Santiago was the next witness. He testified that the Brooklyn in making the loop did not pass within twenty-five hundred feet of the Texas. If that is true the Texas was not endangered. He stated that none of the Spanish ships turned her course as though to ram one of the American ships.

Carl F. Brockhaus is now making arrangements to enlarge his building on West Milwaukee street and will use it for a dye house when completed.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(BY SCRIPPS-MERRILL ASSOCIATES) Chicago, Oct. 8, 1901.

Receipts of cattle, 7,000.	\$3.70	\$3.40
Stocks.	2.25	2.40
Texans.	3.00	4.00
Eng Receipts—Hogs 23,000.		
Light.	5.50	6.50
Heavy.	5.00	6.00
Boys.	5.00	6.00
Mixed.	4.50	5.50
Pigs.	4.50	4.00
Receipts of Sheep 10,000.		
Wool.	2.50	2.00
Lambs.	2.50	2.50

Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Dec.	88 1/2	88 1/4	88 1/2
Oct.—Dec.	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/2
Barley.	54 1/2	54 1/4	54 1/2

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WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; only \$100 cash and one lesson. Geo. Woodruff, Adm. r.

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FOR SALE—45 by 95 feet, suitable for warehouse purposes, centrally located, accessible by railway siding. Apply to W. H. H. Macdon.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR EXCHANGE—Other property for a sound, light-weight driving horse. See me at the court house on Saturday, or address William M. Ross.

STRAYED—White work horse, on my premises, corner Wheeler and South Bluff street, Friday, Oct. 4. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expense. Inquire of Frank Smith, Janesville Carriage Works.

LOST—Female Fox Terrier, Saturday, Two months old and one brown eye. Fancy collar. Return to E. R. Lloyd, 107 E. Mill St. Reward.

LOST—Gent's job, round locket set with small diamond. Return to this office and receive reward.

WILLIAM F. VILAS MADE A DIRECTOR

Former Senator from Wisconsin is Elected as an Officer of the Wisconsin Central Road.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 8.—William F. Vilas, former United States senator in Wisconsin, was today elected director of the Wisconsin Central railway company at a meeting held in Milwaukee at noon. The election was to fill a vacancy.

Green Bay, Oct. 8.—Fred Pinford, an inmate of the Wisconsin State reformatory, was found dead in his cell this morning. He had committed suicide by hanging himself with a rope made from suspenders. Pinford was about twenty years of age and his term at the reformatory was nearly up.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

London, Oct. 8.—The trial of Dr. Krause, ex-governor of Johannesburg, for high treason began this morning. He is charged with having forwarded information to the Boers after having taken the oath of allegiance to the British crown.

Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 8.—The second trial of Caleb Powers charged with conspiracy in the murder of Gov. Goebel, began this morning. A strong array of legal talent is on both sides. Attorney Campbell of the prosecution in addressing the court said: "who knows but that the assassination of McKinley was suggested by the assassination of Goebel and no man was hanged for that crime."

Denver, Col., Oct. 8.—"Tom" Horn, famous throughout the west as a detective and government scout, is at St. Luke's hospital and is reported to be at the point of death as the result of an assault during a row in a saloon in which two or three well known local prize fighters are said to have been involved. No arrests have as yet been made.

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- McVicar Bros., 1 H P operate pipe threading machine.
- Alex. Galbraith, horses, 1 H P operate pump and feed cutter.
- Badger Coal Co., 5 H P operate wood saw.

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| Best Northern Potatoes   | .....10     |
| 8 bars Lenox Soap  | .....25     |
| 8 bars Santa Claus Soap  | .....25     |
| 8 bars Old Country Soap  | .....25     |
| Bulk Baking Powder   | .....10     |
| Good Corn Starch   | .....10     |
| Pure Soda and Saleratus  | .....10     |
| No. 1 barrel Salt, per bbl.  | .....1.00   |
| Best Patent Flour  | .....1.00   |
| Good Patent Flour  | .....1.00   |
| 4 lbs. best Rice   | .....25     |
| 3 quart Fancy Beans  | .....25     |
| Cheese Codfish, per lb.  | .....10     |
| Hams, Salt Pork and Bacon, very cheap  | .....10     |
| Pure Cider Vinegar   | .....30     |
| Pure White Vinegar   | .....15     |
| Choice Prunes  | .....10     |
| Best Prunes  | .....10     |
| Best Dried Peaches   | .....10     |
| 3 cans Libb's Tomatoes   | .....10     |
| 3 cans Corn  | .....10     |
| 3 lbs. can Apples  | .....10     |
| Best Baking Powder   | .....10     |
| Best Catechu   | .....10     |
| Best Coffee  | .....10     |
| Best Red Cross Plug Tobacco  | .....30     |
| King Bolt Plug Tobacco   | .....40     |
| Naval Plug Tobacco   | .....40     |
| Spur Head and Horse Shoe   | .....45     |
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FOLGER TELLS HIS STORY.

He Testifies as an Expert Concerning the Strength of the Batteries at Santiago — Says They Were Weak — Hodgson's Embarrassing Position.

Washington, Oct. 8.—The Schley court of inquiry entered upon the third week of the investigation of Admiral Schley's conduct in the Spanish war with a big crowd in attendance. It had been expected that the navy department would be able to complete its presentation of the case by the close of last week, but when court opened Captain Lemly's list of witnesses still contained almost a dozen names. Prominent among these was that of Captain Chadwick, who was Admiral Sampson's chief of staff and who was in immediate command of the flagship New York during the Santiago campaign. Lieutenant Commander Dyson also was present with the understanding that he probably would be recalled during the day. The day's proceedings began with the recall of Lieutenant Doyle and Commander Rodgers for the purpose of correcting their previous testimony, and when they had been excused Lieutenant Commander Hodgson resumed the stand. There were still a few of the letters constituting the correspondence between the witness and Admiral Schley to be read, and when they were concluded Captain Lemly and Mr. Hanna proceeded with their questions.

Mr. Rayner asked: "How far were you off, during this blockade of Santiago, from the Moro during the day and night of May 28, 29, 30 and 31?" "Early in the day our habitual position was about six miles. In the night I think we steamed up and down in front of the harbor, a distance of about six miles." Then the witness, in response to a request from Mr. Rayner, continued his description of the naval battle of July 3 from the point where he had dropped that description at Captain Lemly's request while he was on the stand Friday. In beginning his recital he said: "The Brooklyn did all she could. She got into action as quickly as steam could carry her there."

Hodgson Between Two Fires. Lieutenant Commander Hodgson was subjected to a galling fire from both the Judge Advocate and Mr. Rayner. He had been called on the stand to explain the controversy he had with Admiral Schley relating to the loop of the Brooklyn and the colloquy which is alleged to have taken place between Schley and Hodgson in which the admiral is credited with saying, "D—n the Texas, she must look out for herself."

He was placed in an extremely embarrassing position, as not less than three sets of letters written by himself were produced, all of which differed in some respects. In addition to these communications Lieutenant Commander Hodgson told a story upon the witness stand which was at variance with his previous statements. The testimony was to the effect that he intended to deny the correctness of the language of the alleged colloquy as published, but that he did not intend to deny the substance of it.

After being subjected to a most rigid examination and cross-examination the only clear point in this connection is that Hodgson is sure Schley did say "D—n the Texas," and this remark was not made by Captain Cook, as Admiral Schley's attorneys have striven to show. Hodgson asserted the remark made by Admiral Schley was not intended as condemning the Texas, but merely as an evidence of irritation on the part of the admiral.

Folger as a Witness. Captain W. M. Folger was called as an expert for the navy department to testify as to the strength of the batteries at Santiago. After saying the batteries were weak, he swore that the flying squadron did not approach near enough to the shore to be endangered by the shore batteries. During the reconnaissance one of the guns on the Morro hill was demolished. He said the batteries were of such small importance that he directed the principal fire of his ship toward the Colon. Captain W. M. Folger, who commanded the cruiser New Orleans during the Spanish war, detailed his part in the campaign, beginning with the New Orleans' arrival at Santiago as the conveyer of the collier Sterling. He also related that on May 31 the New Orleans had participated in the bombardment of the Cristobal Colon, then lying in the mouth of Santiago harbor. He said that the shots of the New Orleans on that day had been fired at a range of from 8,000 to 10,000 yards, and that all had fallen short.

"What damage was done to the enemy on that occasion?" asked Captain Lemly. "I don't think there was any," replied the witness. "Was there any further effort to capture or destroy the Colon?"

"Not to my knowledge." "Were all the vessels available engaged in that action?" "No; the Texas and the Brooklyn were in the rear." "Was the fire of the enemy's batteries heavy enough to seriously endanger the attacking ships?" Admiral Dewey—You referred to a signal from the flagship. The court would like to know what that signal was. "The signal was 'New Orleans: Clear ship for action,' and I think it was followed by the signal, 'The New Orleans, Iowa, Massachusetts will engage the forts,' indicating that there was to be a reconnaissance or bombardment. I do not remember any conversation with the commodore that forenoon on that subject."

Questioned by Dewey. Admiral Dewey—The court would like to know from the signal book exactly what signals were made by the Massachusetts.

The witness (reading)—"At 12:48, in obedience to flagship, Massachusetts signaled to the New Orleans and Iowa to clear ship for action; sounded to general quarter and cleared ship for action. At 1 started ahead both engines, Massachusetts leading." There were no other signals in that watch. That is all that appears to be in the log. I do not remember discussing the subject with the commodore.

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Attack Goebel Case Judge. Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 8.—The attorneys for the defense of Caleb Powers, who is entering on his second trial for complicity in the murder of William Goebel, created a sensation at the opening of the circuit court by the announcement that they would attempt to swear Judge James B. Cantrell off the bench. An affidavit setting forth the grounds was offered, when the court announced it would be considered at the opening tomorrow. The grounds, it is said, lie in Judge Cantrell's charge to a Franklin county grand jury and a campaign speech delivered by him, in each of which he made sensational statements bearing on the Goebel assassination.

Men Are Barred by D. A. R. Cincinnati, O., Oct. 8.—The Cincinnati chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, opened the first meeting of the fall season. It was decided, after some discussion, that husbands and escorts "were not expected" at the various receptions. The Regent reminded the members that there would be at least 275 husbands and escorts to attend if not barred, and that settled it, as it was agreed that there would not be enough room.

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Matthew Wilson, accused of attempting to assault his wife's sister, was killed by a mob near Rutherford, Tenn.



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Terrible Result of a Religious Conflict in Pavlouka, Russia.

London, Oct. 8.—In Pavlouka, a town of 4,000 inhabitants, 120 miles from Kharhoff, says a dispatch to the Standard from Moscow, a quarrel between Stundists and orthodox church people led to a free fight. The Russian church was wrecked. Eighty people were killed. The police were powerless and troops were sent from Kharhoff to restore order. The Russian priests escaped with the more valuable sacred images and altar vessels.

**FOUR KILLED IN CHURCH.**

The Famous Morgan-Chadwell Dispute, Breaks Out Again in Tennessee.

Middlesborough, Ky., Oct. 8.—A four wounded occurred at the Big dal fight in which four were killed and Springs Union Baptist church, over the Tennessee line, Sunday noon. The killed are:

TIP CHADWELL.

JAMES CHADWELL.

RUSH MORGAN.

HENRY MORGAN.

The wounded are:

HENRY OVERSTREET.

JONES.

MORGAN, leg broken.

JOSEPH MOBERLY, flesh wound.

Overstreet and Jones are fatally hurt. The feud between the Virginia Morgans and the Tennessee Chadwells has existed since the civil war. Thirty Morgans and forty Chadwells have been killed in the numerous fights that have taken place.

**Payne Rees Roosevelt.**

Washington, Oct. 8.—Among the early callers at the White House during the day was Henry C. Payne of Milwaukee, chairman of the Republican committee during the McKinley campaigns of 1896 and 1900. Mr. Payne said he called on President Roosevelt mainly to pay his respects and discuss a few "general matters," as he termed it, but his visit is believed to have more than ordinary significance.

**Record by New Steamer.**

Plymouth, Oct. 8.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm arrived here at 5 o'clock this morning, from New York, having made the fastest maiden voyage on record—five days, nine hours and forty-eight minutes—from Sandy Hook lightship. Her best day's run was 540 miles.

**Five Hurt in Car Accident.**

Niles, O., Oct. 8.—During a fog a Mahoning Valley electric car ran into the rear of a car loaded with girls going to their work in the Warren electric plant. Motorman Cal Shaw was seriously injured and will lose a leg. Four girls were also hurt in the mix-up.

**Lipton May Try Again.**

New York, Oct. 8.—Sir Thomas Lipton has given the first intimation that he would challenge again for the America's cup, says the Herald. "You may say for me," he said, "that if the cup is to leave this country I am determined to have it." From saying more than this Sir Thomas wished to be excused. George L. Watson, the designer of the Shamrock II., had left the Erin only a few minutes before Sir Thomas made this announcement.

**Missing Texan Is Found.**

New York, Oct. 8.—Luther S. Bedford, the southern editor who failed to keep an engagement with Rev. Dr. Parkhurst and who disappeared in this city, causing his friends and relatives considerable anxiety, has been found by John Gitterman, a New York attorney. Mr. Gitterman made the technical complaint that Mr. Bedford is mentally irresponsible. His sanity will be determined at Bellevue hospital.

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